

LOCAL

Dr. Wilson, of Newton Grove, was here yesterday. Frank Woodall, of Benson, was in town yesterday. Joseph Parrish of Coats, was a Fair visitor this week. W. P. Byrd, of Lillington, was a visitor here Wednesday. J. T. Morgan of Wilmington, is a business visitor in Dunn this week. T. W. Sloan of Wilmington, is spending the week here with his family. Mrs. John Rodgers, of Lillington, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Florence Jackson. Mrs. W. A. Allen of Four Oaks, attended the Harnett County Fair this week. Ed. L. Hall of Fayetteville, was here his week assisting the management of the Fair. J. L. Hudson has moved his family to Four Oaks where he is engaged in the stock business. Former Sheriff J. McKay Byrd, of Lillington, was among the visitors to Dunn this week. James Surles, of Four Oaks, was among the former Dunn citizens who visited here this week. W. Mack Denning, an automobile dealer of Suffolk, was a visitor to the Fair this week. Norwood Pope of Wake Forest College was among the visitors taking in the Fair this week. Mrs. W. H. Stallings and son, W. H. Jr., of Spring Hope, are spending the week here with relatives. Dr. and Mrs. S. P. J. Lee and children of Johnston county, were here this week attending the Fair. Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Pridgen of Newsum, are here this week attending the fair and visiting relatives. Mrs. S. A. Daniel of Warrenton, arrived Wednesday, and will spend several days here with her son, Rev. J. M. Daniel. Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Williams of Roseboro, are visitors here this week, being the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Mammegill. Miss Frost and Miss McGill of the Fayetteville Conservatory of Music, spent Sunday in Dunn the guests of Mrs. G. M. Floyd. Wade H. Royal, of Benson, at one time merchant of Dunn, was here this week with Mrs. Royal and their children to visit the Fair. Geo. L. Cannady was in Robeson county Tuesday where he was auctioneer at a land sale conducted by the Murphy Bros. Land Auction Co. Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Jackson of Fayetteville, spent Wednesday and Thursday in the city. Mr. Jackson is secretary of the Cape Fear Fair. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wilson and son, Jeff Barnes, of Mayeville, are here this week attending the fair and visiting in the home of J. D. Barnes. Jere Pearsall returned last night to Newport, News, Va., after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Pearsall and attending the Harnett County Fair. Lewis Deaning, Robert Young and family, of the University of North Carolina, were here yesterday to attend the fair and to visit their parents. W. P. Byrum, for many years superintendent of the Dunn Road District, was a visitor here this week. He is now building roads around Rocky Mount, where the road commission thinks so well of his services that he was recently voted a substantial increase in salary. Dunn is a splendid place for a hardware shop. Since John B. Sanders retired from business a few weeks ago there is no place of this kind in the city. Mr. Sanders operated a shop here for several years and did an excellent business until his health failed and forced him to retire. The material in the shop operated by him has been sold and moved to another town. Protesters against the "smell" which emanates from some where in the neighborhood of the fertilizer plant at South Dunn are scheduled to meet with directors of the fertilizer company some time next week. They are still wrath about the matter, since they allege, the evil odor has abated none in its disagreeableness. They are still determined to take the matter to the courts unless the company acts quickly to cure the alleged evil. Two dances featured social activities in town this week. Both were held in Moose Hall where music was furnished by the Garber Davis Orchestra, in which Henry Shell, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Shell, of Dunn, is the cornetist. The first event was staged by Dick Taylor and Paul Jones; the second by the Garber-Davis Orchestra. Many young women and men from Fayetteville, Smithfield, Clinton and other towns were in attendance. Through the deeply lamented death of Mayor James Fredell Johnson, of Raleigh, Otis P. Shell, of Dunn, became president of the North Carolina Municipal Association. Mr. Shell was one of the prime movers in the organization of the body which he was mayor of Dunn. Then he was elected secretary and treasurer, a position he held until his resignation four years ago. Since then he has held the office of first vice-president of the association. N. A. Layton, of White Oak, who was a resident of Dunn twenty years or more ago, is here to visit his daughter, Mrs. Charles Vinson. Mr. Layton has been to Dunn once or twice since he departed for White Oak, but it was not until he arrived this time that the town convinced him that it was well on its way to becoming the metropolis of Eastern Carolina. He almost regrets moving away. He recalled Monday that a lot he had bought for \$50 and sold \$150 recently was resold for something over \$7,000. Lillington sent a big delegation to the Fair this week. Among those present were noticed Professor Byrd F. Gentry, superintendent of schools, Colonel John Bob Baggett, Marshall T. Spears, chief marshal of the Fair, Hiram Baggett, Editor Suel of the Harnett County News, Will McArtin, Colonel Dan Hugh McLean, Alfred Rodgers. All were more than pleased with the big exposition and expressed gratification and surprise that so large an undertaking had been gotten so near perfection in so short a time.

The many friends of P. A. Lee will learn with regret that he is confined to his room with illness. Dr. Seavy Highsmith, of Fayetteville, is here today to visit his brother, Dr. Charles Highsmith. Henry W. Grady, of Clinton, was among the many Sampson County visitors to the Dunn Fair this week. Allen H. A. Lee is suffering from a mangled thumb sustained last week at the Stewart spinning plant, west town. The injury is healing nicely. Miss Rena Perry, who is teaching in the Duke schools, was here to visit her sister, Mrs. Charles Highsmith this week. Mrs. L. J. Mooney and her son and daughter, D. R., Jr., and Joseph are here from their home at Cherryville to visit Mrs. Charles Highsmith. Mr. Moorey will join them here today or tomorrow. Early next week the whole family will leave for Baltimore where they will spend several days. Sheriff Turritington, while policing the Fair grounds this week, has kept his deputies busy collecting taxes since there was practically nothing else for them to do. He established an office at the entrance and advertised that the tax books were there. The result was very gratifying to him, as the fact that all of the tax books for more pleasant than the usual paying taxes. The sheriff also made his office a general meeting place for families whose members had been lost from each other in the crush of the crowds. Many tired mothers waited for husbands who had been delayed by the amusements along the midway. "HITCHY KOO." "Hitchy Koo," fresh from New York, where its girls and fun and music captivated capacity audiences for two solid years, is to be the attraction at the Lafayette Theatre, Wednesday, October 22nd. "Hitchy Koo" is called a musical comedy revue, and, according to advance reports, it is different from anything this city has ever seen on the stage. The beginning of the performance is said to be so remarkably funny in its unexpectedness, the curtain rising on the finale. This upside down arrangement is said to be explained by the leading comedian, Jimmie Lucas, who takes the audience into his confidence in a preliminary speech and states that for once, anyhow, an audience is going to remain seated while the finale is gone through with, because to bring this about, he has arranged to have the finale come first. With this tempo, struck at the very outset, it may be imagined that "Hitchy Koo" is an hilarious affair. Besides Jimmie Lucas, the cast contains such well known players as Orvie Leeming, Dan Sherman, Justa Cunningham, Frank Cornell, Jim De Forest, Peggy Partell, Vera Gray, Mabel De Forrest, John Haw, Lillian Washburn, Christine Mansfield, Helen Collins, and a Beauty Chorus of 16 "Sweet Sixteens." ANNOUNCEMENT. Contentnea Quarterly Meeting of Friends will convene with Bethesda church Oct. 24, 25 and 26. This church is located four and one-half miles from the center of the county. The following program will be on for the days mentioned: Friday, the 24th, at 11 o'clock (old time) will be the opening session of the meeting of ministry and oversight following a gospel service. At 7 o'clock (old time) a Gospel service at 4 o'clock (old time) followed by the Quarterly meeting. At 1 o'clock dinner on the grounds. At 2 o'clock the continued session of the business meeting with conference to follow. At 7 o'clock Gospel service, Sunday at 10 o'clock Sabbath School. 11 o'clock Gospel school. 7 o'clock Gospel service which will close the Quarterly meeting. At these different sessions there will be ministers from Mt. Airy, Greensboro, High Point, Goldsboro and several other points, such session will be full of interest and real good preaching by able preachers. The public is cordially invited to attend all services. MARION BRYANT GETS PERFECT STAND OF ALFALFA Marion Bryant, a prominent Wilson county farmer writes how he secured his best stand of alfalfa. His experiences with alfalfa and clover, as shown in his letter, are interesting. Wilson Co., N. C., July 26, 1916. Gentlemen: I purchased Nitra-germ for one acre alfalfa and four acres crimson clover last season. I wish to say my alfalfa is as near perfect as I could wish. I have already cut it three times and am sure of two more cuttings. I secured a good stand of clover and have corn planted on the land where the clover was sowed, and am certain I will make forty per cent. more corn on this land than I will on the land adjoining it, planted the same day where there was no clover. I am highly pleased with Nitra-germ for growing alfalfa and clover and expect to use more this season. I am sure that clover is the best and cheapest method of fertilizing land and I am equally sure that Nitra-germ will grow it. 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